Sinclair Broadcasting stations use public airwaves free of charge, and are required to serve the public interest. All of the public interest- not just the interest of a few rich Republican polititians.

Because of rampant media consolidations, just a few corporations control all of what we see and hear. And if those few corporations happen to be in George Bush's pocket, the American people will be the ones getting shortchanged. The very concept of democracy in our country gets threatened. Remember the Soviet state-controlled media? That's what's happening here.

To say that a smear documentary about things that took place 30 years ago is "news" is laughable. News is what George Bush is doing to our country right now, and what John Kerry is planning to do right now.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.